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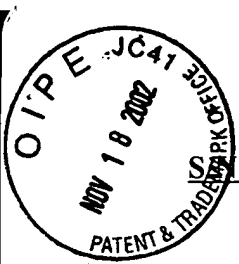
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The Applicants' representative has reviewed the Office Action mailed on August 9, 2002. Please consider the appended remarks, rendered in **appeal brief format**.

REMARKS

The Appellants' representative has carefully reviewed and considered the Office Action mailed on August 9, 2002, and the references cited therewith. No claims are amended, no claims are canceled, and no claims are added. As a result, claims 36-39, 59-69, and 75-83 remain pending in this application.

1. REAL PARTY IN INTEREST

The real party in interest of the above-captioned patent application is the assignee, Micron Technology, Incorporated.

2. RELATED APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

There are no interferences known to Appellants, Appellants' legal representative, or the assignee that will directly affect or be directly affected by or have a bearing on the Board's decision in an appeal. There is one appeal known to Appellants, Appellants' legal representative, or assignee that may directly affect or be directly affected by or have a bearing on the Board's decision in an appeal, namely, the appeal filed on September 12, 2002, with respect to U. S. Patent Application Serial Number 08/984,561 titled "Method For Switching Between Modes of Operation".